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President's Report

Firstly I want to thank Lucy for taking over the Secretarial role and to Rose for joining the Committee.

I must thank Barbara Thompson for the many years she was our Secretary and did a really good job. Thank you, Barb.

I hope as the weather warms up we will see a few more of our members back. We really miss seeing you all.

Our Bus Trip is our next outing on the 28th September. I still have room for more people. The cost is \$65 per person, to be paid at the September meeting. It will be a very easy day, not much walking, and a lovely day's outing. Tony B. is very helpful and happy. Nothing is a bother for him.

<u>Please note</u>: our Gourmets nights will change to the second Saturday of the month. The first one will be on the 9th September.

I hope you are all keeping well.

Hope to see you soon.

Alison Poulter, President

MEETINGS FOR SEPT & OCTOBER

We are unable to use the Centre on the first Thursday in September because the electricity will not be connected, therefore.....

Our <u>September</u> meeting will be held on <u>Thursday 14th Sept</u> at the Merrilands Community Centre, Asquith Street, Reservoir at 2 p.m.

October Meeting – is on Thursday **5th October** at 2 p.m.

BREAKFAST

Once a month we go to the 'Glint Café', 287 Broadway, Reservoir.

0492 966 631

It is a very nice brekkie at a reasonable price. Hope to see you there.

Friday 22nd SEPT, 9.00 a.m. Friday 27th OCTOBER, 9.00 a.m.

MORNING TEA

Will be held at the 'Glint Café', 287 Broadway, Reservoir. We have morning tea on the first Friday of the month.

Friday 1st SEPT. 10.00 a.m.

Friday 6th OCTOBER. 10.00 a.m.

Hope to see you there. Alison. 8 470 1345



SATURDAY NIGHT GOURMETS

Convener: Alison 8 470 1345

Everyone is very welcome.

The next Gourmet will be as follows:-

6.30 p.m.

Saturday 9th SEPT. La Porchetta Restaurant.

1 / 11 The Link,

Mill Park. 9 437 7070

Saturday 7th OCTOBER. Peking Inn

3 Daly Place

Bundoora. 9 467 5045

The sheet will be out at the meeting for you to put your name on.

Alison.



DINE OUT

Gayle Aiello 9 465 8436

Dine Out will be held every third Monday.

September— Excelsior Hotel. Cnr. Mahoneys and Edgars Road,

Thomastown. 9 460 3666

October – Summerhill Hotel Shop 13, 830 Plenty Road,

Reservoir. 9 471 3255

Dates:

Monday 18th Sept at the Excelsior Hotel, Thomastown. 12 noon.

Monday 16th October at the Summerhill Hotel, Reservoir. 12 noon

I will have a booking sheet out at our meeting for you to add your name or ring me.

Thank you, Gayle.

Indoor Carpet Bowls

Convenors: Barbara Thompson 9 422 8780 / Alison Poulter 8 470 1345

Merrilands Community Centre.

Stadium. Building 2. **\$5 each**. **1.30 p.m. to 3 p.m.**

Please note: Price change.

Dates: 13th and 27th Sept.

11th and 25th October.

Barbara Thompson & Alison Poulter



Canasta:

Convenor:-

Elva Kelly 8 470 1407

Canasta is very popular with our group. We play every Tuesday, so please come along and join us for 3 hours of fun and relaxation. The price for the game and for afternoon tea is \$4.

Merrilands Community Centre CANASTA

Art Room Building 2. 1.30 – 3.30 p.m. Tuesday 5th,12th, 19th, 26th Sept. Tuesday 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st October.

WALK & TALK



Convenor: - Alison Poulter 8470 1345

The walks are around Edwardes Lake and take place every Wednesday. Our meeting place is near the playground area.

Please come along and join us at 9.00 a.m.

Alison



BUS TRIP Thursday 28th September

Money to be paid at the September meeting. \$65 per person. Meet at the Centre at 8.50 a.m.

Alison Poulter.



If you hear of anyone who is sick *or* in Hospital let *Elva Kelly* know on 8 470 1407

GREAT GRANDMOTHER CARD sent to Barbara Thompson.

CHEER UP CARD sent to Marlin Holloway

GET WELL CARD to Chris Richards.

GREAT GRANDPARENTS CARD to Janet and Peter Cook.

GET WELL CARD to Evelyn Ginger.



SEPT BIRTHDAYS

12th Dot Thomas

15th Christine Richards

21st Peter Cook

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

2nd Elva Kelly

10th Norma Demir

19th Tony Wild

21st Pat Arcadia

25th Ian Mitchell

Happy Birthday and best wishes from your fellow Alembers.

The Wisdom of Second Year School Children Regarding MOTHERS

Why did God make Mothers?

- 1. To help us out when we were getting born.
- 2. Mostly to clean the house.
- 3. She's the only one who knows where everything is.

How did God make Mothers?

- 1. Just the same like he made me. He just used bigger parts.
- 2. Magic plus super powers & lots of stirring.

Why did God give you your Mum & not some other Mum?

- 1. We're related.
- 2. He knew she likes me a lot more than other kids' Mums like me.

What sort of little girl was your Mum?

- 1. She was never a little girl, she's always been my Mum.
- 2. They say she used to be nice.
- 3. Well I wasn't there, but I guess she was pretty bossy.

What does your Mum do in her spare time?

- 1. Mothers DON'T DO SPARE TIME.
- 2. She says she pays bills all day long.

(Thank you to a former member Roma Parsons)

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